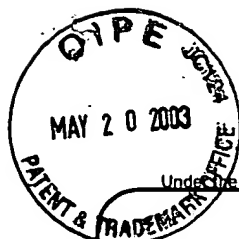


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AMENDMENT B

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In response to the Office Action mailed February 20, 2003, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel Claim 13 without prejudice.

Please amend Claims 11 and 19 to read as follows:

11. (Amended) A mobile measuring device for monitoring leaks on gas lines, comprising an electronic navigation system to guide an operator along a track predefined by a computer unit which links

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